

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. J. M. Robinson delivered the memorial address at Fort Dodge this morning.

At the Christian church Sunday evening Rev. E. M. Haile will deliver a sermon on "Anarchy."

It was the infant child of Mr. Beaubeau, of Ford, instead of N. J. Smith, as mentioned as dead in our items last week.

Grover Cleveland is the only ex-President living, and attended the funeral of the late President at Washington on Tuesday.

Owen T. Wright, of the Leavenworth Home, was here yesterday, and was examined by the Board of Surgeons, for increase of pension.

Interesting reading matter on inside papers. Particulars of the death of President McKinley and other matters of interest will be found.

Fred Uihman and family and Julius Boezel left last night for Scapoose, Oregon, where they will make their home. Frank Boezel is located at Scapoose.

Yesterday afternoon C. W. Roth, while unloading wheat from a wagon to a car, was struck on the forehead with a scoop shovel and received a slight wound.

Rev. J. M. Robinson, in a short time, will remove his family to Meade. His charge includes Meade and Englewood. A pastor to succeed him here has not been selected.

The Dodge Globe says Nic Mayrath the heir to the throne of Serbia now of Ford has 4500 bushels of wheat. No wonder he gave the crown the "go by."—Clark County Clipper.

J. C. Hubbell's winter barley went 27 bushels per acre, and his spring barley 15. He says the winter barley is ready for harvest about three weeks earlier than any other grain.—Jettmore Herald.

J. C. Briggs, Tuesday, was driving in his buggy, in the west part of the city, when a dog belonging to a traveler, turned around after Mr. Briggs had passed, and jumped onto Mr. Briggs' buggy top and tore a large hole in the canvass. As Mr. Briggs could get neither the owner of the dog nor an officer to make reparation he followed the dog and shot him dead.

In making my report of receipts and disbursements in connection with the recent reunion I stated that if any one knew of any errors or mistakes, that a proper correction would be made. If the matter was presented to the secretary. It seems that some parties have taken exception to the item of \$36.20 paid to Beeson and Garner for broncho busting, alleging that it was a holdup. The \$36.20 covered several items of expense, such as:

Expense of and prize for mule race.....	\$15.00
Expense of and prize in broncho busting.....	\$15.00
Prizes in potato race and potatoes and sticks.....	\$ 4.70
Labor in connection with the above.....	\$ 1.50
	\$36.20

Exceptions was also taken to the \$5.00 item for saddle repairs. In addition to the repairing of a saddle, there was a raw hide lariat broken in handling the bronchos, which had to be paid for.

J. A. ARMENT, Sec'y.

Emerson's dictum that we should treat every one as if he were all he ought to be is an excellent rule to practice in daily life. It is human nature to rise to the level that is expected of it. It is not necessary to waste time upon uncongenial people unless you are bound to them by strong family ties; but it is important that all with whom you come in contact be studied with the desire on your part to give credit for all that is good in them, and that nothing in their outward circumstances or appearance be allowed to prejudice you against them.—Ada C. Sweet in the August Woman's Home Companion.

Chicago Journal: A Wichita, Kas., man brings suit for divorce and says that his wife continually called him a yellow dog. Which shows again the illogical modes of feminine reasoning. The most faithful thing on earth is a yellow dog, particularly when it has a broken tail, fly-bitten ears and a scalded patch on one hip. Some day the world will build a monument to true constancy and unselfishness, and the symbol at the top of it will be the figure of a yellow dog.

Rubber Stamps, Dates, Stencils, Etc., at the Novelty Works, 3 doors south of the Rink.

—The Rock Island track is laid to the Canadian river and the bridge over the river is being constructed.

—A. W. Clark, manager of the Harvey hotel, has gone to Hutchinson to take charge of the hotel there. Col. Sidikum, of Leavenworth, takes charge of the Harvey hotel here.

—Conductor Thomas Traynor thought he would conceal from the newspapers the arrival of a girl at his house last week, but the boys found it out and he has been setting up the cigars.

—Section Foreman A. B. Glaze fees every night twenty cars containing cantelopes—Rocky Fords—going east. And from twelve to fifteen cars of meats going west every night. Mr. Glaze has several men to help him in filling refrigerator cars with ice. The movement of perishable goods shows a large increase in this traffic.

—The Newton Kansan has picked up a rumor to the effect that Newton is to be the terminus of the eastern division as far as passenger crews are concerned; the crews to run from Marceline to Newton and from Newton to La Junta. From what can be learned there is nothing in the report.—La Junta Tribune.

—It is reported that when the change is made on the Santa Fe—making two grand divisions of the road—that division headquarters will be moved from La Junta to Dodge City. This will bring here the superintendent, telegraphers, train master, dispatcher and others. Passenger runs will be from Newton to La Junta, instead of from Dodge City to La Junta, and the runs will be from La Junta to Denver.

—Superintendent Archer, of the Santa Fe water department, has spent much time in Lakin during the past two months, looking after the sinking of the deep wells at that place, and his labors have been crowned with success. It is no boast, but is a conceded fact, that Lakin has the best water along the western division for making steam without injury to the locomotive boilers, and now, with the three wells, the superintendent can congratulate himself that he has both quality and quantity.

From the material used the Rock Island evidently expects to make their road through here a great line. All of the material sent out on the extension has been of the best. The most remarkable taken through was that to be used for the steel bridge across the Canadian.

At the end of the train which hauled the bridge material through here were two solid pieces of steel as high as a box car and extending the length of two flat cars. Many wondered what such great sections of steel were to be used for, and especially as there was also nearly a whole train of similar material.

The bridge across the Canadian will be quite a wonderful structure. While the stream is not so very large it is exceedingly treacherous on account of quicksand. Where the Rock Island crosses it the cannon is 800 feet wide. Instead of bridging the river the Rock Island will span the cannon. The bridge will be high above the river and will be 800 feet long. The character of this structure shows that the Rock Island intends to have, regardless of expense, a first class road bed that will stand the strain of a heavy business.

The Instruction Car has Come to Succeed the Pay Car.

"Did you hear about the successor to the pay car? asked a railroad man who has just been east. "It's the instruction car, but when it works its way west, as it will in time, I'm thinking that some of the boys won't look for it as the pay car used to be greeted.

"The instruction car comes to town and the man in charge gives every employee an examination on the rules. Everybody comes in for it from the crossing watchman to the conductor on the flyer. The men are notified in advance that the instruction car will be in on a certain date when they will be expected to join the examination class.

"The idea is not only to find out whether the men know the rules, but to aid in a clearer understanding of them. A man who has gone through an instruction class will know better what the rules are for. Not only that, but he will also be posted as to when and how exceptions can be applied and how to exercise judgment in the many cases not exactly covered by the rules. The instructor will know what the man's knowledge of the rules is, and in case he is judged competent a certificate will be issued showing his ability and also testifying as to his sobriety and moral standing. This will be of a nature that will be considered by any employing official in the country. A system of grading by the instructor will bear relation to pay and promotion.

"A man who does not come up well on the examination will be shown where he needs improvement and just how to get over his weak points. Those who desire to advance as rapidly as possible will be helped along.

"Of course the idea is to raise still higher the standard of railroad labor. If the instruction car and the issuing of a certificate are generally adopted by the railroads no trainhand can get a job without a certificate. On the other hand, he will be reasonably sure of getting paid in proportion to the merit shown by his certificate. My opinion is that the effect of such a general adoption would be to raise the rate of wages."

All True, Too True.

We wish we knew who wrote this:

Nine tenths of the unhappy marriages are the result of green human calves being allowed to run at large in society paths without a yoke on them. They marry and have children before they have mustaches. They are fathers of twins before they are proprietors of two pairs of pants, and the little girls they marry are old women before they are twenty years old. Occasionally one of these gossling marriages turn out all right but it is a clear case of luck. If there was a law against young loots sparking and marrying before cutting their eye teeth, we suppose the little cusses would evade it in some way. But there ought to be a sentiment against it. It is time enough for these bantams to find a pullet when they have raised enough money to buy a bundle of lath to make a hen house. But they see a girl who looks cunning and they are afraid there is not going to be enough to go around and they begin to spark real spy, and before they are aware of the sanctity of the marriage relation they are hitched for life, and before they own a cook stove or a bedstead they have to get up in the night and go after the doctor, so frightened that they run themselves out of breath, abuse the doctor because he don't run too. And when the doctor gets there, there is not enough linen in the house to wrap up the baby.

There is much trouble and a great amount of unhappiness caused in this world simply because so many people will not forgive and overlook the failures and offenses of others. If all would readily pardon and excuse the short coming of their friends as they do their own misdeeds, half of the troubles of this life would be over. No other attraction in a human being can outweigh a gracious and forgiving spirit. No other attribute does so much toward rendering a person unlovable and intolerable as that of a revengeful nature; then too how it will grow and become the almost dominant trait in a character, thus converting at least one whom nature had gifted with much to render he or she a kind friend and desirable companion into a veritable savage. The individual that goes around with a grievance that needs squaring by retaliation is a most unhappy mortal, bringing nothing but sorrow to himself and soon creating disgust in all with whom he comes in contact.

Life is too short to make it wise to nurse up wrath for payments of slights and injuries. Nothing so becomes a man for woman either, as a kind and forgiving disposition. It is better than great genius for oratory, music, authorship or art. It is more valuable to possess than great riches, far more precious than stores of pearls and diamonds.

Umbrella repairing, etc., at the Novelty Works.

Memorial Service at Fort Dodge.

Services were held at the Fort Dodge Soldiers' Home on Sabbath evening, Sept. 15th, in honor of our departed President, S. H. Thomas in the chair, Richard Collins Secretary. Meeting opened by singing "Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in christian love." Prayer by Bro. Morrison. Quartette: "Dropping out of the ranks one by one." Rev. Morrison, of Cimarron, then preached a patriotic sermon to a packed house of deeply interested comrades and friends. He took for his text 2d Sam. 1st chapt. 27th verse, "How are the mighty fallen, and the weapons of war perished." He said in part: This is no ordinary occasion. Every state is in tears, all flags half mast. London draped in mourning. Fairs closed, business suspended. The world standing aghast and looking up through tear-dimmed eyes asking what next? McKinley was a Soldier, Statesman, President, Husband, Friend. He made a success of life for two worlds and died triumphant. McKinley was one of us. one of the plain people, representing the American Ideal and toiling upward, reaching the highest place in the government, but stricken down by a sneaking, cringing coward. Out of the Presidency of the United States, but into Heaven. "Blessed are the dead, who die in the Lord."

Speeches were made by Commaude Thomas and Quartermaster Dickerson and the following resolutions were unanimously passed:

Whereas: The President of the United States of America, William McKinley, has been shot down by an anarchist—an enemy to all Government, Law, Church and Home; a sworn enemy to the best interests of humanity, committing a crime against the American people, against God, Church and Home. Cain killed his brother from envy, Benedict Arnold became a traitor to his country for money, Judas betrayed his Lord with a kiss but all these pale into insignificance when compared with the dastardly cowardly crime of this villain, who under the pretence of a friendly hand-shake shot down our President. That shot was a blow at Law, Order and Society, a shot at American Government. Shall we longer harbor in this land the assassins who are themselves outlaws and who incite others to destroy our officials—the servants of the people. No, No. We demand that our Congressmen and Senators frame measures looking to the extermination of all Anarchists from the land and forbidding all immigrants the right to land on our shores who cannot produce a certificate of good citizenship from the officials of the country from which they came, thus preventing criminals of other countries being dumped on us to taint and poison the life-blood of the best nation that ever existed.

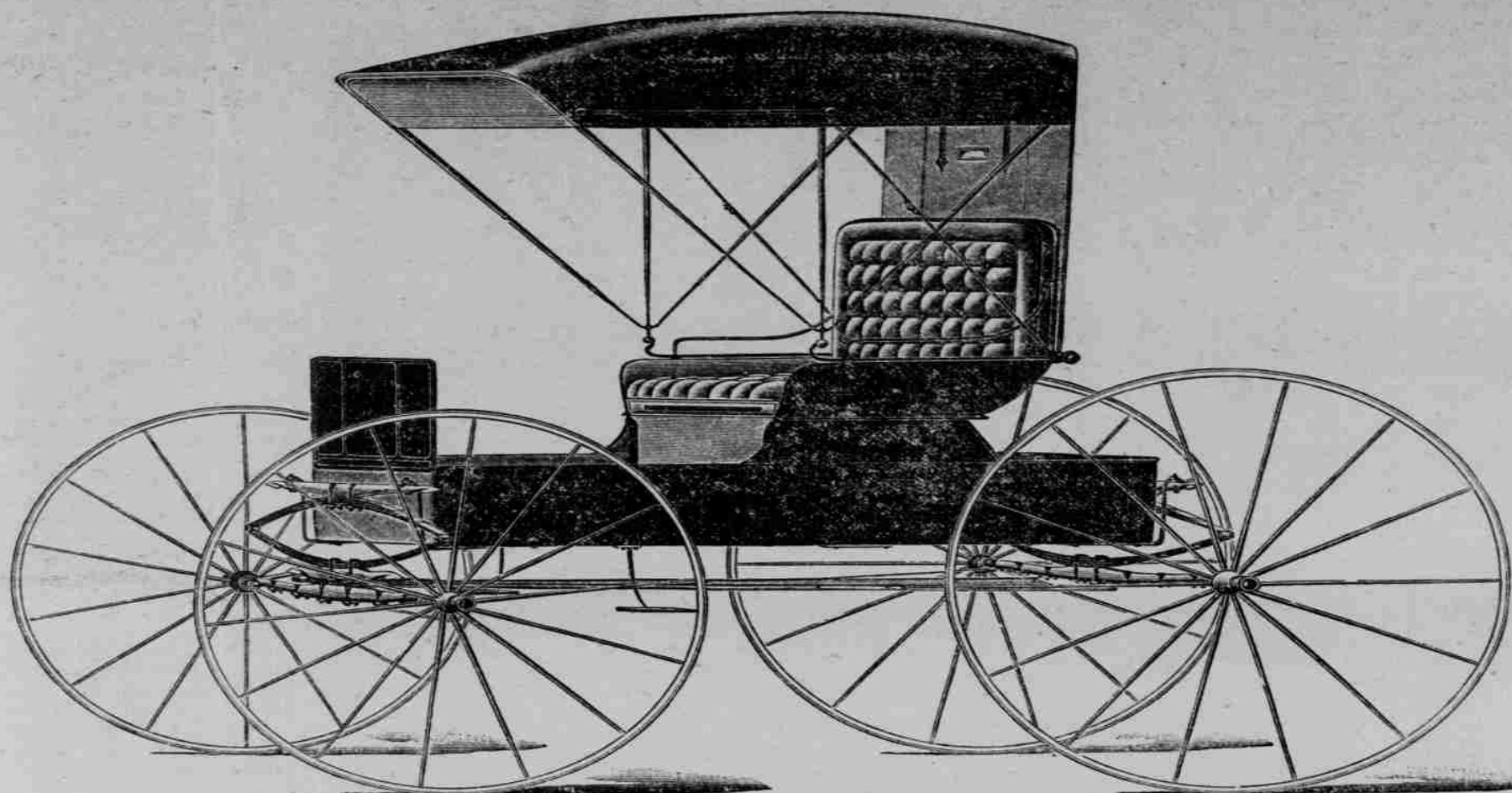
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One of the common expressions now is, "We were more scared than hurt," referring to the feed crop.—Clark County Clipper.

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A Kansas editor concludes that since, for one New York policeman who has been ordained to the ministry another has been ordained to the penitentiary, it is not safe to conclude that the force will go into the salvation business as a side line.

Census Enumerator Clawson.

Who is also editor of "The Herald" at Howe, Ind. T. writes: "To Whom It May Concern:—I was a sufferer from stomach trouble until I was induced to try a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and I want to say that in my opinion it has no equal as a stomach remedy. I had tried many different remedies, but none with the happy results of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. G. A. CLAWSON, Howe, Ind. Ter. Sold by Palace Drug Co.

Some Burlington boys broke into the Santa Fe coal house and stole a handcar for a ride, says the Republican. The sheriff and the city marshal were waiting for them on their return. The boys were warned and deserted the handcar. Four of them have since been arrested on the charge of burglary.

Many physicians are now prescribing Kodol Dyspepsia Cure regularly having found that it is the best prescription they can write because it is the one preparation which contains the elements necessary to digest not only some kinds of food but all kind it therefore cures indigestion and dyspepsia no matter what its cause. Rath & Bainbridge.

The editor of the Ellinwood Leader got a catalog of an out of town shopping house and then decided to compare prices with those of his home merchants. He found that on a \$50 bill of goods he would save from \$5 to \$12 by dealing with the local dealers.

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If frost stays off a few days longer this county will harvest one of the largest alfalfa seed crops in its history. Of course the drouth hurt the crops to some extent, but the farmers will make more money out of what they have. There will be sufficient feed, the grass is good, and the universal report is that cattle never looked as well as they do this year.—Garden City Herald.

Sid Darling, 1012 Howard St. Fort Huron, Mich., writes: "I have tried many pills and laxatives but DeWitt's Little Early Risers are far the best pills I have ever used." They never gripe. Rath & Bainbridge.

According to an exchange from the short grass cattle country, a bald-headed man there has hit on a way to keep the flies off his pate. He has painted a life-like spider there with a web and of course the flies keep their distance. Now he is thinking of applying his idea to the cattle.

Fresh home-made bread, baked every Tuesday and Friday, orders left at the Bee Hive. Mrs. H. WING.

NOTICE—Persons are requested not to trespass on my lands on Duck creek, under penalty of law. All who run from me will be minus a rig if I get to it first, neighbors and every one included. MRS. M. DWYER.

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State of Kansas, Ford County, ss: Before P. R. Hobbie, Justice of the Peace of Dodge City Township in Ford County, Kansas.

Wm. M. Wilson, Plaintiff,
vs.
S. H. Sheldon, Defendant.

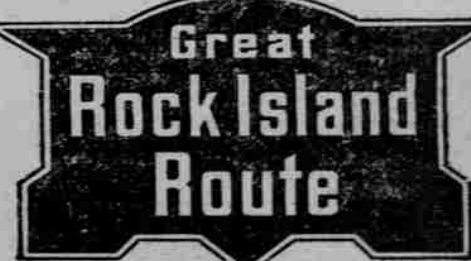
The above named defendant, S. H. Sheldon, will take notice that he has been sued in the said court on the 24th day of August, 1901, by the above named plaintiff, Wm. M. Wilson, for the sum of \$9.30 and must answer the petition therein on or before the 15th day of October, 1901, at 10 a. m., or said petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered for plaintiff in said action for the sum of \$9.30 accordingly and the costs of this action.

Wm. M. Wilson, Plaintiff.

Attest: P. R. HOBBLE, Justice of the Peace.

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